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POST OFFICES IN MADHYA PRADESH
PUNNULAL MOHALE

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of post offices functioning at present in Madhya Pradesh particularlyin Bilaspur district, district-wise and the places where new post offices are proposed to be opened in the next financial year, location-wise ;

(b) whether the Government propose to provide postal facilities in all the remote and rural areas of the State.

(c) if so, the details thereof and the time by which such facilities are likely to be provided; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MIISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) 11361 post offices are functioning at present in Madhya Pradesh. 283 post offices are functioning in Bilaspur District. District-wise details of post offices are given in nnexure `A`. The places where new post offices are proposed to be opened in the nextfinancial year have not so far been decided.

(b) & (c) Postal facilities are available in all the areas including rural and remote areas. New post offices are opened subject to the availability of resources and fulfilment of norms.

(d) Does not arise in view of (b) and (c) above.

ANNEXURE-A

District-wise post offices in M.P. Circle as on 15.02.2000

Sl.No.	Name of Distt.	H.O.	S.O.	EDSO	EDBO	Total
1.	Balaghat	1	24	-	201	226
2.	Barwani	-	12	4	102	118
3.	Bastar	1	19	-	234	254
4.	Betul	1	22	-	198	221
5.	Bhind	1	23	1	230	255
6.	Bhopal	3	59	2	65	129
7	Bilaspur	1	33	-	249	283
8.	Chhatarpur	1	23	1	200	225
9.	Chhindwara	1	28	1	235	265
10.	Damoh	1	19	2	139	161
11.	Dantewada	-	14	-	156	170
12.	Datia	-	9	-	89	98
13.	Dewas	1	17	1	150	169
14.	Dhamtari	-	7	-	86	93
15.	Dhar	1	17	11	181	210

16. Dindori - 8 - 110 118
17. Durg 2 56 - 269 327
18. Guria 1 23 2 173 199
19. Gwalior 2 43 1 147 193
20. Harda - 6 2 62 70
21. Hoshangabad 1 24 2 150 177
22. Indore 2 61 2 107 172
23. Jabalpur 1 52 3 116 172
24. Janjgir - 22 - 262 284
25. Jashpur - 13 - 150 163
26. Jahabua 1 17 - 154 172
27. Kanker 1 11 - 144 156
28. Katni 1 23 1 196 221
29. Kavardha - 3 - 64 67
30. Khandwa 1 33 2 192 228
31. Khargone 1 18 5 163 187
32. Korba 1 22 - 70 93
33. Koriya - 18 - 81 99
34. Mahasumand - 7 - 126 133
35. Mandla 1 10 - 91 102
36. Mandsaur 1 21 3 148 173
37. Morena 1 16 1 183 201
38. Narsinghpur 1 17 - 165 183
39. Neemuch 1 22 4 127 154
40. Panna - 14 1 140 155
41. Raigarh 1 14 - 245 260
42. Raipur 1 53 - 320 374
43. Raisan 1 16 5 188 210
44. Rajgarh (Bia) 1 17 4 144 166
45. Rajnandgaon 1 15 - 138 154
46. Ratlam 1 26 7 150 184
47. Rewa 1 37 - 299 337
48. Sagar 1 44 2 192 239
49. Satna 1 26 2 260 289
50. Sehore 1 22 8 137 168
51. Seoni 1 18 - 177 196
52. Shahdol 1 27 - 212 240
53. Shajapur 1 22 2 154 179
54. Sheopurkala 1 5 - 57 62
55. Shivpuri - 20 5 198 224
56. Sidhi 1 19 - 183 203
57. Sarguja 1 13 - 170 184
58. Tikamgarh 1 19 - 165 185
59. Ujjain 1 35 9 156 201
60. Umaria (Shahdol) - 6 - 61 67
61. Vidisha 1 8 2 142 163

Total 52 1358 98 9853 11361